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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training
THROUGH : *1st Dir* Deputy Director for Support
SUBJECT : Foreign Affairs Executive Seminar
REFERENCE : Memo to ExDir from DD/S dtd 6 July 1972,
Same Subject

1. Based on the distribution of referent memorandum to the Deputies and the discussion at the Deputies Meeting on 19 September, I believe the following conclusions are appropriate:

a. We will continue to participate in the FAES, to support it financially at current levels, and to provide visits to CIA and lecturers as requested.

b. We will not have a solid quota for each directorate for attendance at the Seminar, but we should solicit the positive interest of the directorates in sending their people to the Seminar as a way of breaking out of any possible parochialism and expanding their relationships within the foreign affairs community.

c. The Office of Training should integrate the FAES into the career training pattern being developed by the various directorates or career services. Obviously, it is not necessary for all CIA officers, but it would seem highly desirable for certain of our officers who will be closely involved with other members of the foreign policy community in Missions abroad or work here at home.

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2. In other words, I think we should consider the FAES as a quasi-internal course rather than one of external training with all that it implies. I would hope that the Training Board of Visitors would include it in its annual review and that I would be kept regularly informed of our participation in FAES.

/s/ W. E. Colby

W. E. Colby
Executive Director-Comptroller

cc: Director of Personnel

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